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Osing language

The **Osing language** (Indonesian:*Bahasa Osing*), locally known as *the language of Banyuwangi,* is the language of the Osing people of East Java, Indonesia.

Some Osing words have the infix /-y-/ 'ngumbyah', 'kidyang', which are pronounced /ngumbah/ and /kidang/ in standard Javanese, respectively.[3]

Divergent Osing vocabulary includes:[3]

- *sing* 'not' (standard Javanese: *ora*)
- *paran* 'what' (standard Javanese: *åpå*)
- *kadhung* 'if" (standard Javanese:yèn,lèk,nèk)
- *kelendhi* 'how' (standard Javanese:kepiyè,piyè)
- *maning* 'again' (standard Javanese:manèh,the Banyumasan dialect of Javanese also uses 'maning')
- *isun* 'I/me' (standard Javanese:aku)
- *rikå* 'you' (standard Javanese:kowè,the Banyumasan dialect also uses "rikå")
- *ring*/*nong* 'in/at/on' (standard Javanese:ning,nang,the Balinese language and Old Javanese also uses "ring")
- *masiyå*/*ambèknå* 'even if'/'although' (standard Javanese:senadyan,senajan,najan, the Arekan dialect of Javanese also uses 'masiyå')

Osing	
Region	Java, Indonesia
Native speakers	300,000 (2000 census)[1]

Language family	Austronesian
	■ Malayo-Polynesian
	  ■ Javanese
	    ■ **Osing**

Writing system	Javanese script Pegon script
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	`osi`
Glottolog	`osin1237 (http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/osin1237)`[2]

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External links

- Inside Indonesia - Bahasa Osing, Warisan Iswara Blambangan (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QpkaQO75b1Y) on YouTube (in Indonesian) - CNN Indonesia documentary
- Bahasa Using (Osing) Banyuwangi (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7X9xRT4JB_4) on YouTube (in Indonesian) - Balai Pelestarian Nilai Budaya D.I. Yogyakarta documentary